

GREATER SHADY GROVE TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT DISTRICT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

Greater Shady Grove Transportation Management District Advisory Committee Meeting May 1, 2019

8:30 – 10:00 a.m.

Johns Hopkins University / Gilchrist Hall Room 134
9601 Medical Center Drive, Rockville MD 20850
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8:30	1.	Welcome & Introductions (please sign in)	
	2.	Review of Minutes March (©2)	All
8:35	3.		Gary Erenrich MCDOT-Special Assistant to the Director
9:10	4.	Employer Traffic Mitigation Plans Summary (©4)	Jim Carlson/All
9:30	5.	Marketing Outreach Update	Van Eperen & Co. TMD staff for Shady Grove
9:40	6.	Updates: Police/TMD/DOT/Other County Update	Sande Brecher Capt. Tom Didone Catherine Matthews Jim Carlson
9:50	7.	New Business / Around the Room	All
10:00	8.	Adjourn Next meeting date: July 3, 2019	

Greater Shady Grove Transportation Management District Advisory Committee March 6, 2019

Voting

John Brandt / Universities at Shady Grove
Ellen Poltilove / Johns Hopkins University
Benjamin Garcia / Neighborhood Representative
Amy Frieder / Neighborhood Representative
Steve Kelley / NIH – National Cancer Institute
Paul Yanoshik / RE/MAX Realty Services

Non-Voting

Joseph Allen / Gaithersburg

Ex Officio

Sandra Brecher / Representing MC Dept. of Transportation (MCDOT) Director Catherine Matthews / Upcounty Regional Services Center Alyssa Roff / City of Gaithersburg

Staff

Nakengi Byrd / Montgomery County Commuter Services Jim Carlson / Montgomery County Commuter Services

Absent

Capt. Thomas Didone / Montgomery County Police McClean Quinn / EYA

Guests

David Anspacher / M-NCPPC
Zach Deshaies / Van Eperen
Gehmelle Johnson / NIH-National Cancer Institute

Item 1 & 2 – Introductions/Minutes: Members and guests introduced themselves. January minutes were approved.

Item 3 – Approved Bicycle Master Plan: David Anspacher, M-NCPPC briefed the Committee on the final version of the Plan, unanimously approved by Council on November 27, 2018.

The <u>Bicycle Master Plan</u> vision is to provide access to a comfortable, safe and connected bicycle network by achieving four goals:

- 1. Increase bicycling rates in Montgomery County.
- 2. Create a highly connected, convenient and low-stress bicycling network.
- 3. Provide equal access to low-stress bicycling for all members of the community.
- 4. Improve bicycle safety.

Item 4 – Employer Traffic Mitigation Plans/Annual Reports: The Committee reviewed 11 TMP annual reports; 10 reports were recommended for approval, with one returned to the employer for more information.

Marketing Outreach: Zach Deshaies of Van Eperen announced:

- Continuing outreach to employers regarding traffic mitigation plans and reports completion
- Setting up commuter outreach events with companies
- Planning and outreach for Bike To Work Day, May 17th

Item 6 - Updates:

- Live online discussion with County Executive Marc Elrich March 14th / 1-2 PM
- Montgomery County to expand the pilot area for testing of dockless bikes and adding e-scooters
- Metro to perform summer platform reconstruction at six Yellow/Blue Line stations

Item 7 - Adjourn: Next meeting date - May 1, 2019

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Greater Shady Grove TMD Employer Traffic Mitigation Plan Summary May 2019

TMP Code Requirements:

- 1. Contact person designated to receive and distribute commuter information to employees
- 2. Information on transit and other commute alternatives distributed/ posted regularly (furnished by Commuter Services/CSS)
- 3. Facilitate CSS/TMD staff presentations and commuter information events for employees and HR/administrative staff. This could include benefits fares and other employer-sponsored events
- 4. Guaranteed Ride Home Promotion (free regional program offering emergency rides)
- 5. Annual Commuter Survey distributed to employees (short survey of transportation—supplied by CSS/TMD)
- 6. ADA information provided (transportation services for people with disabilities)
- 7. Permanent display area for bus schedules and other transportation information
- 8. Compile information on yearly TMP activities and submit Annual Report

Employer	Status	Recommend Approval
New Plan: Potomac Pediatrics	 Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Showers & lockers Campus community on Omega Dr. so most drive. Company doesn't provide transit benefit for now – free parking and employees eligible for \$750 yearly E-ZPass allowance. Opportunity to get them to provide at least equal transit benefit. Served by Ride On 66, 74. 	Yes
New Plan: MacroGenics	 Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Bike racks & lockers. Access to a gym in the office park Medical Center Dr No transit benefits, free parking. Served by Ride On 43, 66. Opportunity for telework, alternative schedules – none presently. 	Yes
New Plan: Cellphire	Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: Telework & flexible schedules Transit & parking benefit through flex spending account	Yes

	Pre-tax deduction for FSA	
New Plan: Intelligent Automation	Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Bike racks, lockers & showers Flex schedules on a case basis	Yes
Westat	 Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Bike racks, lockers & showers EV charging stations Company carpool matching Telework – 43 participating Flexible schedules Company match for transit benefits Pre-tax deduction 	Yes
GlycoMimetics	Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Employees store bikes in the office / showers Telework	Yes
Greater Capital Area Assn. of Realtors	Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: • Monthly transit benefit (\$100) • Telework – restricted at present to 5 employees	Yes
Exeter Government Services	Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Telework & flexible schedules	Yes
. Johns Hopkins University	 Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Bike racks, showers Telework, flexible and compressed schedules Pre-tax deduction 	Yes
Matthews Media Group	Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Bike racks, showers Telework, flexible and compressed schedules Transit benefit (\$60) Pre-tax deduction	Yes

Advanced BioScience Laboratories	 Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Telework Transit benefit 	Yes
Bright MLS	Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: Bike racks Telework, flexible and compressed schedules	Yes
AUI Fine Foods	Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Bike racks Telework	Yes
Jewish Social Services Agency	Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Bike racks Flexible schedules, occasional telework	Yes
Millipore Sigma (formerly BioReliance)	 Meets all requirements and has voluntary measures: New hire commute info Bike racks, showers & lockers Reserved carpool spaces Piloting a flex schedule program – rollout Q3 2019 	Yes